

The New England Troops rested after
Seth Thomas arrived with his
troop of Green Mountain Boys,
then they went to Saratoga to
join the Continental Troop

Aug 1777

+ 1500 troops
Burgoyne sent Gen Baum to
New England for 3000 horses & supplies.
Gen. Stark refused a direct order to
go stop Burgoyne in N.Y. & marched
his 250 men + more from New England
on Baum.
Washington heard of disobedience
& reported him to Congress. They

stripped his title & struck his name
from the rolls
He continued toward Baum
at Bennington.

Stark's Army had now increased
to 1600 men. from New Hampshire &
Massachusetts

3 PM Aug 16, 1777 Baum opened fire
Stark had surrounded him &

before they had time to Reload
Stark gave the order "Charge"

Baum's troops were surprised.
Then followed a hand-to-hand
battle with Bayonets & muskets
till about 4:30 PM

at about 1/2 of Baum's troops lay dead
or wounded or captured. Stark lost
down about 200 men.